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Senator Claiborne Pell
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Dear Senator Pell:

A number of cases of Argentine scientists who have "disappeared" have come to the attention of our Committee on Human Rights. In view of General Viola's declared intention of naming those "disappeared" whom the Argentine government knows are dead and your own efforts toward achieving this end, I have enclosed what information we have on cases of "disappeared" scientists. We would appreciate your making inquiries to the Argentine authorities concerning the status of these specific individuals.

Your efforts on behalf of these victims of repression and in support of human rights are commendable.

Sincerely,

W. Murray Todd
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Staff Officer

Enclosure

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